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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.191, applicants appeal the Examiner's final rejection to the claims set forth in the Office Action dated January 13, 2003 and the Advisory Action dated April 28, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application. This Notice of Appeal is therefore timely filed. The small entity fee for filing a Notice of Appeal is covered in the enclosed check.

No fee, other than the \$160.00 Notice of Appeal fee, is deemed necessary in connection with this Notice of Appeal. If any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 01-1785.

Respectfully submitted,

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